(c) Provision of drinking water supply is the responsibility of the State Governments. The Rajiv Gandhi National Drinking Water Mission has been assisting and guiding the States in provisioning of safe drinking water to rural areas under the Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme and exclusive Sub-Mission programmes in areas having serious ground water quality problems like fluoride, iron, arsenic and brackishness in such areas where ground water is unfit for drinking, safe drinking water is provided through alternative sources, either by tapping surface water or by undertaking remedial measures like defluoridation, iron and arsenic removal.

Centrally sponsored schemes for waters resources

†271. SHRI ABHAY KANT PRASAD: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of centrally-sponsored schemes being implemented in the country for providing assistance to State Governments for augmenting water resources and exploitation thereof;

(b) the year-wise amount allocated alongwith the amount released to each State particularly to Jharkhand under each scheme during the last three years till date; and

(c) what has been the achievement of each State with regard to conservation of additional water and exploitation of water resources?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY): (a) Ministry of Water Resources does not implement any Centrally Sponsored Scheme for augmentation, conservation or, exploitation of Water Resources. However, the Centrally Sponsored Command Area Development Programme being implemented since 1974-75 is aimed at bridging the gap between irrigation potential created and that utilized through efficient utilization of created irrigation potential and optimizing agricultural production/productivity from irrigated lands on a sustainable basis. A number of activities such as construction of field channels and field drains, rotational water supply system, etc., directly related with improving water utilisation are funded by the Centre and States on matching basis. The programme is being implemented in all the 28 States.

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(b) Statewise details of funds released under Command Area Development Programme are given in the enclosed statement (see below). There was no ongoing project in Jharkhand, hence no funds released to the State during the last three years.

(c) Not Applicable.

Statement

Statewise details of funds released under Command Area Development Programme

(Rs. in lakhs)

Name of Schemes	Name of States	Year		
		2000-01	2001-02	2002-03
Command	Andhra Pradesh	0.00	0.00	0.00
Development	Arunachal Pradesh	3.75	34.75	125.13
Programme	Assam	33.45	35.00	0.00
	Bihar	0.00	300.00	0.00
	Chhattisgarh	—	46.32	148.45
	Goa	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Gujarat	18.67	0.00	0.00
	Haryana	503.02	2321.79	620.92
	Himachal Pradesh	68.17	155.95	182.22
	J&K	165.19	171.22	344.00
	Jharkhand	—	0.00	0.00
	Karnataka	186.73	3423.84	2652.61
	Kerala	745.62	507.94	0.00
	M.P.	123.41	15.86	615.05
	Maharashtra	461.14	744.72	331.33
	Manipur	113.09	0.00	211.03
	Meghalaya	0.00	0.00	11.34
	Mizoram	5.00	6.88	9.14
	Nagaland	0.00	133.16	0.00
	Orissa	1035.92	504.76	264.90
	Punjab	2133.49	0.00	1622.00
	Rajasthan	1592.19	2654.66	2939.27
	Sikkim	0.00	5.50	1.25
	Tamil Nadu	1677.38	1336.14	2305.80
	Tripura	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Uttar Pradesh	3247.32	2274.19	2279.40
	Uitaranchal	—	0.00	75.00
	West Bengal	424.77	0.00	284.00